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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
PICKFORD-15651

In Re Application Of:

PICKFORD, Martin Edward Lee et al

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/501,538	07/16/2004	BARRETT, Thomas C.	25628	3738	6357

Invention:

METAL IMPLANTS

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 05/01/2006 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: August 1, 2006 until: September 1, 2006
Date *Date*

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